

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Robinson et al.
Appl. No.: To Be Assigned
Filed: Concurrent Herewith
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COLLECTING, STORING, AND
DISPLAYING PROCESS DATA INCLUDING PARTICLE
MEASUREMENT DATA

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

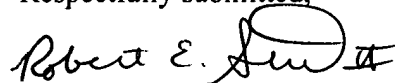
**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
CITATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97**

Attached is a list of documents on form PTO-1449.

It is requested that the Examiner consider these documents and officially make them of record in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and Section 609 of the MPEP. By submitting the listed documents, Applicant in no way makes any admission as to the prior art status of the listed documents, but is instead submitting the listed documents for the sake of full disclosure.

Any foreign patents or non-patent literature documents items are attached, except those that were supplied in, or cited by the Office during prosecution of, parent Application No. 09/998,257 filed November 30, 2001. Since the benefit of this application was claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120, no copies need to be furnished in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(d); however, copies will be furnished on request.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert E. Straight, II
Registration No. 50,691

Customer No. 00826
ALSTON & BIRD LLP
Bank of America Plaza
101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000
Charlotte, NC 28280-4000
Tel Charlotte Office (704) 444-1000
Fax Charlotte Office (704) 444-1111

"Express Mail" mailing label number 442274704US
Date of Deposit March 11, 2004

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Glenda R. Ransom

CLT01/4633349v1

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 2

Complete if Known

Application Number	To Be Assigned
Filing Date	Concurrent Herewith
First Named Inventor	Robinson et al.
Group Art Unit	2822
Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	039035/274327

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Document Number Number - Kind Code (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages of Relevant Figures Appear
	1	US-6,314,385	11/00/2001	Kim et al.	
	2	US-5,598,341	01/28/1997	Ling, et al.	
	3	US-5,625,816	04/29/1997	Burdick, et al.	
	4	US-5,672,230	09/30/1997	Park, et al.	
	5	US-5,761,064	06/02/1998	La, et al.	
	6	US-09/536,506	03/27/2000	Brinkman, et al.	
	7	US-6,177,983	01/23/2001	Trainer	
	8	US-6,223,098	04/24/2001	Cheong, et al.	
	9	US-6,233,719	05/15/2001	Hardikar, et al.	
	10	US-6,259,101	07/10/2001	Wexler, et al.	
	11	US-6,275,290	08/14/2001	Cerni, et al.	
	12	US-6,314,379	11/06/2001	Hu, et al.	
	13	US-6,319,737	11/20/2001	Putnam, et al.	
	14	US-6,346,983	02/12/2002	Yufa	
	15	US-6,606,582	08/12/2003	Brinkman, et al.	
	16	US-2003-0105546-A1	06/05/2003	Robinson, Michael M. et al.	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document Country Code - Number Kind Code (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	English Language Translation Attached

Examiner
Signature

Date
Considered

*Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

